

## AMERICAN AND BRITISH FORCES STORM ASHORE ON WEST COAST OF ITALY, FAR TO THE REAR OF THE ENEMY'S LINES

Use Leap-Frog Tactics — American Rangers and British Commandos Spearhead the Landing by 5th Army Shock Troops—Sweep Ashore from Special Landing Craft Along Stretch of the Tyrrhenian Coast for Several Miles.

By International News Service  
Leap-frog tactics which the Allies found so successful in their drive through Sicily were employed today by American and British forces of Lieut. Gen. Mark W. Clark's army when they stormed ashore on the west coast of Italy far behind enemy lines.

American rangers and British commandos spearheaded the landing by the Fifth Army shock troops as they swept ashore from special landing craft along a stretch of Tyrrhenian coast "several miles long."

Supporting the landing was a furious naval and air barrage which continued undiminished as the ground forces established their beachhead. A special communiqué from Allied headquarters revealed the landings, but did not immediately disclose the exact location.

"British and American troops of General Clark's Fifth Army landed Continued On Page Four

### Doylestown Police Tell Of Activities During 1944

Doylestown police had a busy 1944 that took them 14,500 miles in police car patrol, which included 1353 night patrols.

Property stolen in Doylestown and recovered there amounted to \$2163, while an additional \$300 worth of property stolen in other places was recovered by the police in Doylestown.

These are but a few of the interesting items in the annual report of Chief of Police Felix R. Gowan that was submitted last night at the January meeting of Borough Council.

During 1944 the police collected a total of \$1,425 in fines including \$1,000 for the borough, \$350 for the county and \$75 for the state.

They received 1272 complaints, issued 249 warnings and investigated 44 accidents.

The violations in 1944, numbered 162, were headed by "drunk and disorderly," with a total of 37 cases, with "disorderly conduct" in the runner-up position with 23. Overweight trucks ranked third, with 14, while "wrong way on one-way street" came next with 13.

Other violations: Illegal passing of red light, 9; larceny, 8; all night parking, 6; reckless driving, 6; drunken driving, 5; AWOL from Army, 5; arson, 5; no current sticker, 4; operating without a license, 4; burglary, 4; issuing worthless checks, 4; involuntary manslaughter, 2; non-support, 2; public nuisance, 2; 2-hour parking, 1; sodomy, 1; permitting auto violation, 1; prison breach, 1; violation of parole, 1; assault and battery, 1; resisting arrest, 1; malicious mischief, 1; forgery, 1; breaking and entering, 1.

Disposition of police cases in 1944: Paid fines and costs, 45; county paid costs, 37; turned over to other police, 15; paid costs, 13; cases pending, 13; discharged, 11; committed to reformatory, 9; committed to county jail, 7; paid fine, 6; paroled, 4; exonerated by Coroner, 2.

### LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M. AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY, BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings  
Maximum ..... 34 F  
Minimum ..... 28 F  
Range ..... 6 F

Hourly Temperatures  
8 a. m. yesterday ..... 28  
9 ..... 28  
10 ..... 29  
11 ..... 29  
12 noon ..... 29  
1 p. m. ..... 29.5  
2 ..... 31  
3 ..... 33  
4 ..... 33  
5 ..... 33.5  
6 ..... 34  
7 ..... 34  
8 ..... 34  
9 ..... 34  
10 ..... 33  
11 ..... 33  
12 midnight ..... 31  
1 a. m. today ..... 31  
2 ..... 30  
3 ..... 30  
4 ..... 29  
5 ..... 29  
6 ..... 30  
7 ..... 30  
8 ..... 30

P. C. Relative Humidity ..... 98  
Precipitation (inches) ..... 0

### TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 1:02 a. m.; 1:34 p. m.  
Low water ..... 5:09 a. m.; 5:49 p. m.

### Middletown Grange Initiates 5 Members

LANGHORNE, Jan. 22—Conferencing of the first and second degrees upon five candidates occupied a major portion of the time at the well attended meeting of the Middletown Grange in the memorial house, here. The degree team was made up of the official staff of the Grange.

During the business session which was in charge of the master, Herman Heston, the finance committee gave its annual report, and a committee appointed at the last meeting to consider the purchase of chairs for the use of the organization, reported they had been bought.

### DOYLESTOWN COUNCIL PLANS SEWER EXTENSION

Will Have Work Done As A Post-War Project For The Borough

### ADOPT TOWN BUDGET

DOYLESTOWN, Jan. 21 — Borough council is planning now for post-war improvements. William H. Boardman, Philadelphia, consulting engineer, is to be asked by Council to hasten the completion of a comprehensive plan of sewer extension in the borough, that was ordered several years ago.

It is reported that the plan is about completed and will be forwarded to the State Department of Health for approval in the near future.

Doylestown's housekeeping budget for 1944 amounting to \$91,150 was tentatively adopted. The budget will be open for inspection to anyone who cares to inspect it, and will then come up for final adoption after the regular course of advertising.

Borough Treasurer Thomas Diver outlined the various department appropriations which call for \$25,000 for streets; \$15,000 for the water department; \$15,000 for the sewer department, and \$10,000 for the police department. The estimated total receipts for 1944 amount to \$87,400.

Councilman George E. Willard, chairman of the water committee, reported that 106,000,000 gallons of water had been pumped in 1943, or 10 per cent less than the previous year, probably due to the change in the water rates, and a number of individuals leaving town with the armed forces.

Doylestown's ambulance that was damaged in a wreck some months ago, will be placed in service in the near future, Council was informed. There has been considerable delay in getting some new radiator parts from the factory. To hasten the completion of the job, the repair shop will have the necessary parts made in Philadelphia.

Superintendent Weisel also reported that the street numbers of the Clinton Park houses have been changed, as suggested at a previous meeting.

A letter from Mrs. Arthur M. Eastburn, secretary of the Fanny Chapman Memorial Swimming Pool board of trustees, was read by Secretary C. LeRoy Frack, thanking Council for remitting the water rent for 1943.

The Doylestown Trust Company was designated the official depository for the borough for 1944. Council designated Borough Secretary Frack to collect delinquent taxes.

### Business Girls' Club Plans Valentine Party

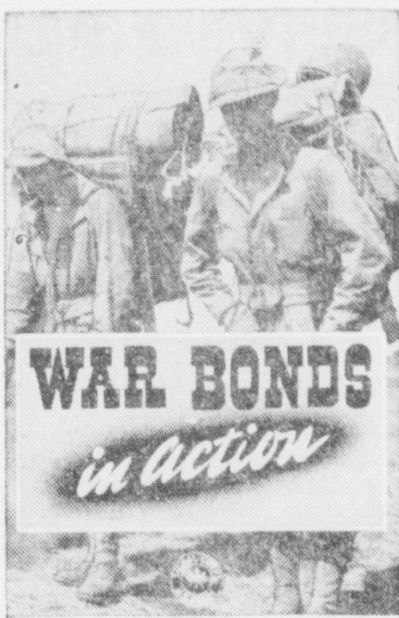
A meeting of the Business Girls' Club was held Thursday evening, and plans were made for a Valentine party.

The club's canteen will invite service men for the event, and refreshments and entertainment will be plentiful. The date for this party will be Feb. 16th, in the social room of Bristol Methodist Church.

A bake sale will be conducted on Friday, January 28th, in the McCrory store at five o'clock, for the benefit of the club. The club will appreciate donations, either money, pies, cakes or candy. Contact the chairman of the committee, Miss Winifred Daniels, or any member of the club.

If you have a room or apartment for rent advertise it in the Courier.

Classified Ads deliver the goods



From a transport in New Guinea American members of hospital units are carrying medicine and instruments provided by War Bond dollars.

How many will they succeed? How many dead will they find? How many will never return? We do not know but we do know our daily contact can make an earlier end of the war.

Give your dollars action: Buy More War Bonds.

U. S. Treasury Department

### Newtown Students Give Successful Program

NEWTOWN, Jan. 22—Two evenings of entertainment played to well filled houses were enjoyed in the Newtown high school auditorium when "The Fighting Littles" was presented by the Athletic Association. The play was directed by Dorothy H. Lowmes and was the first all-student production.

The following were in the cast: Naomi Hyndshy, Ruth Crowthers, Paul Kester, John Ackerman, Wayne Dallas, Barbara Lefferts, Barbara Kenderline, Joanne Savidge, Helen Smith, Evelyn Lowmes, Ruth Morlok, Ned Maher, Bill Smith, Laraine Ramsey and Emma Peaker.

Business manager of the production was Kathryn Courtney. Other committees included the following: Scenery and lighting, George Rishel and Kenneth Gearhart, assisted by Morell Watson and Roy Copper; stage properties, Catherine Gallagher; hand props, Helen Smith; scenery in back of French doors, Miss Killian; handy man, George Hart; programs, Betty Mulhern, Miss Sylvia Richards; make-up, Miss Dorothy Gaskell; advertising and art, Ellen Hunter; picture, Kathryn Courtney; music, Newtown high school band, directed by Clarence Rumpf; ushers, Johnny Sutton, Sarajane Savidge, Steward Scott, Ethel Jane Whitesell.

Among those on leave is John C. Black, Pharmacist Mate, 3/c, of 204 Cedar street. Another Bristolian who has completed the course is Stephen A. Arkiszewski, of 2010 Trenton avenue.

The following seamen, second class, have finished the basic recruit training, and have been granted leaves:

Ralph E. Lawton, Maryland avenue, Charles Edward Moore, Penna. and Washington avenues, Raymond Kirk, Third and Miller avenues, Crofton.

Bernard Stanley Readman, R. D. 1, Bristol.

Ambrose C. Burger, 413 Jefferson avenue; Joseph E. Wooley, Jr., 1013 Pond street; Joseph Princevalli, 303 Washington street; George Molden, Jr., 147 07th street; Dominic Lazi, 933 Mansion street; Daniel DiLorenzo, 229 Cedar street; Fred C. Barbetta, 511 Wood street; William Abate, 1025 Elm street; Milton E. Miller, 249 Harrison St., Bristol.

CHRISTENING CEREMONY  
CROYDON, Jan. 22—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cornwell was christened William James in Wilkinson Memorial Church, on Sunday. The christening was performed by the Rev. George Lurwick. The sponsors were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pole, Mr. Pole serving by proxy for Cpl. James Robinson, who could not be present.

Buildings and Borough Property: Chester Irwin, D. Ralph Stone and Joseph F. Worstall.  
Printing: George R. Smith, Frank D. Good and Joseph F. Worstall.  
Building Regulations: George R. Smith, Justin H. Ely and G. Thawley Hayman.

The Bangor Daily News, which has been owned by The Evening Post Co. of Bangor, has been sold to Charles M. Meredith, of Quakertown, according to an announcement by John L. Murray, president of the Evening Post Company. J. Lawrence Davis, Bangor, has been secretary-treasurer of the same company.

The sale became effective yesterday, Mr. Murray said. Mr. Meredith also is publisher of The Quakertown Free Press.

The Bangor Daily News has been published as a daily for 49 years, and succeeded the weekly publication, The Bangor Observer, which had been published for 15 years.

The paper was established by the late W. R. Grubb, and following his death it was operated by his son, Earl Grubb, until the time of

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## SO YOU HAVEN'T BOUGHT A BOND?

Maybe You Will When You Read What It Takes To Win A War

Follows the second of three articles describing the heroism of American bomber crews operating from England.

By Lee Azrael

(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)  
AMERICAN FORTRESS STATION, England, Jan. 22 — (INS)—Almost daily, as American fliers pour bombs on the enemy, dramas are enacted which would in normal times focus the nation's admiration and attention.

Now, however, they are routine. Few even reach the papers.

Coming out of the bomb run over Solingen, in the Ruhr, a motor cocked out. And the Flying Fortress piloted by Lieut. James W. Conley, of St. Paul, Minn., started to lag behind its formation.

Off in the distance, afraid to attack the whole formation, some Pocke-Wulfs buzzed about, waiting for stragglers.

They hit quickly. A 20-mm shell

burst into the Fort's right side, splattered metal, and parts of it went out through the bottom.

Conley started twisting, turning, diving into clouds, trying to evade pursuing Germans.

At the waist gun of the plane's undamaged side, Sergeant Julius Wukitsch, of Schenectady, N. Y., looked around to see what had happened. He saw radio operator Edward R. McCarther, of Coatesville, Pa., beckoning weakly for help. And he saw ball-turret gunner, Eugene E. Laasko, of New York, propped against the radio room wall, with a blood-covered face.

Wukitsch went to their aid and from the useless tail gun (it had jammed) Sergeant David M. Williams of Mobile, Ala., moved to wield the waist gun.

Then began a series of first-aid jobs. Wukitsch spread blankets and laid the two wounded men on the raid room floor. Pocke-Wulfs were still attacking and the Fortress waist guns could not long be idle. So Wukitsch, Williams and right waist gunner Alfred J. Summers of Indianapolis, Ind., dashed between the two guns and the two wounded men; between saving life and dealing death.

They bandaged Laasko's broken jaw and stemmed the blood that poured from shot-off toes. They put a tourniquet on McCarther's broken arm and one on his broken leg. They bandaged many lesser wounds and then concentrated on their gunnery. But Williams saw McCarther again motioning for help.

Further investigation showed that the radio operator's ankle was broken.

The tourniquets were all gone. Williams grabbed a piece of wire from the interphone and lifted it around McCarther's leg. To tighten it, he inserted a bullet and twisted it.

Things were in fairly good shape in the center part of the Fortress, but another drama was being enacted up forward.

As Conley dodged into a cloud another 20-mm plowed through the right window and parts of it splattered against the instrument panel. Lieut. William G. Wood, co-pilot

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### ARTIST, SILVERSMITH, JUGGLER DO WAR WORK

Trio of Airplane Lofters Have 133 Combined Years of Experience

### BUSY AT FLEETWINGS

A cross-section of American life can be found in almost any defense plant in this section during the present busy war times. This is true likewise of Fleetwings, Division of Kaiser Cargo, Inc.

Among the workers to whom particular attention is called in a recent issue of a Fleetwings publication, are a well-known cartoonist and writer; an English-born silversmith; a circus and vaudeville man; and three lofters whose combined years of experience in that work total 133.

The artist, cartoonist and writer who keeps busy at Fleetwings plant is Charles Goeller. When he began his work in Fleetwings

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## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

### Land Deep Behind Enemy Lines

Algiers—American and British shock troops, spearheaded by Rangers and Commandos, stormed ashore from amphibious landing craft deep behind enemy lines in western Italy today in a sudden thrust which Nazi sources said put the Allies within 22 miles or less of Rome itself.

A special Allied communiqué, while withholding the exact site of the landings, declared tersely that the operation was "successful and the situation is developing satisfactorily."

The controlled Nazi propaganda agency, DNB, however, transmitted a dispatch which placed the scene of the operations at "between the Nettuno and the Tiber Estuary," and admitted that the harbor of Nettuno, 32 miles from the Italian capital, has been occupied by the Allied forces.

### Slight Wreck on P. R. R., East of Trenton

Philadelphia—The failure of the engineer of a Washington-New York Pennsylvania Railroad passenger train to observe a stop signal was blamed today for a collision between the train and a switch engine just east of the Trenton, N. J., station.

Officials of the carrier said the passenger train passed a signal in "stop" position at 5:10 this morning, went through an open switch, and struck the light switch engine. There were no injuries or damage to the track, and none of the cars was derailed, a spokesman said.

The fronts of the two engines were "nicked slightly," he reported, but other traffic was not delayed. A new locomotive was hitched to the passenger cars and the train proceeded to New York.

### Three Children Die in Fire

New Castle, Pa.—Three children died today in a fire that swept through the home of Mrs. Agnes Sweeney, 35, who failed in a desperate attempt to save one of them.

While her husband, John, was at work in a war plant, Mrs. Sweeney was awakened by smoke. Picking up William, two, she ran down the stairs and into a sheet of flame ignited her clothing. Besides William, the dead were Rose Anne, nine, and Rene, eight. Mrs. Sweeney was reported in critical condition.

### Bond Sales Total \$250,000 At End of The Third Day

The third day of the Fourth War Loan Drive for this area closed with a total of \$250,000 in bond sales, states the chairman for Lower Bucks County, Mrs. John Leslie Kilcoyne. The drive formally opened on Tuesday.

The Hebrew Ladies' Aid total sales to date are \$10,000; the Thomas L. Leedom Co. invested \$5,000 in a corporation bond, and Mrs. Arthur Stokes, of Edgely, started sales in that community off with a \$1000 bond purchase, it is announced. Under supervision of Mrs. George Garretson, Edgely has raised over \$3000 to the present time, adds Mrs. Kilcoyne.

### QUIZ ON CURRENT AFFAIRS CONDUCTED

Followed by Film Dealing With Fascism; Meeting of Travel Club

### ANNOUNCE EVENTS

A current affairs quiz in the form of a written test, and a motion picture film dealing with inside facts on Fascism, were features of the program presented by the legislation committee at the meeting of The Travel Club yesterday afternoon.

The quiz contest covered current affairs and various phases of activity, the questions totalling over 100, the participants being required to fill in opposite the question number the correct key number from a group of possible answers. Mrs. Willard Bartoe, chairman of the legislation committee, was in charge.

The film, with sound effects, followed the quiz, both being sponsored by a popular current events magazine.

With the quiz answers checked Continued On Page Four

### Arranges Surprise Here In Honor of Her Mother

A surprise birthday party was given for Mrs. Howard Fennimore, and held Thursday evening at her home on Buckley street. The party was given by her daughter, Mrs. William Claus, Jr. For cards, prizes were awarded the winners.

Refreshments were served in the dining room which was decorated in pink and blue. A large cut flower bouquet, a gift from Mrs. Fennimore's "Rocky Pal," was the table centerpiece. She was also presented with a large cake by Harry, Jack and Walter Robinson, children of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Robinson, Newport Terrace. Mrs. Fennimore received many gifts.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Irene Nannie and Miss Helen Seefelt, Trenton, N. J.; Mrs. Robert Robinson, Mrs. William Bowman and daughter "Betty" and Mrs. Ida Hammond, Edgely; Mrs. Raymond Robinson and children, Newport Terrace; Mrs. Frank Fennimore and son Howard, Hulmeville; Mrs. William Kelly, Mrs. Wilson Black, Mrs. William Frake, Jr.; Mrs. Horace States, Mrs. Joseph Elbertson, Mrs. Claus and son William, Miss Margaret Kelly.

### Larger Loaf of Bread At A Higher Price

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22—A larger loaf of bread costing another cent per loaf will be on the shelves of all bakeries in the city next week.

Authorized two months ago by the Office of Price Administration, the extra one-cent impost was made contingent upon a two-once increase in the size of the loaf.

Most of the 15 larger bakeries and the majority of the 600-odd smaller establishments have been holding off due to the technical difficulties involved in putting out the bigger loaves. Several firms will increase the price Monday and the others will follow suit during the week.

The price scale will be: White bread, 12 cents for loaves of 19 to 20 ounces; whole wheat, 13 cents for an 18 to 19 ounce loaf. Rye bread will cost 13 cents for a 19 to 20 ounce loaf.

### FAREWELL PARTY

"Jack" Harman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harman, Spruce street, who left Wednesday for naval training at Sampson, N. Y., was tendered a surprise farewell party, Tuesday, by a group of friends at his home. Games and dancing were followed by refreshments. "Jack" received many useful gifts and money. Thirty attended.

### GIRL FOR NEAGLEYS

A daughter was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Neagley, of Newtown. Mother and child are doing well in Harriman Hospital. Mr. Neagley is supervising principal of Newtown public schools.

## REPORT OF POLICE CHIEF FOR YEAR SHOWS TOTAL OF 251 ARRESTS MADE; 130 ARE FINED, 56 HELD FOR COURT

204 Car Owners Fined for All-Night Parking—Property Stolen Valued at \$6,699, and of This, Goods Valued at \$2,475 is Recovered—Give Itemized Report

The following is the annual report of Chief of Police Linford J. Jones, for the year 1943:

FROM: Linford J. Jones, Chief of police.  
TO: Roy F. Fry, Chairman of police committee.  
SUBJECT: Annual report Bureau of police.

The following is the Annual report of the Bureau of police for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Assault and battery	10
Assault and battery, attempt to rape	1
Assault and battery, disorderly conduct	1
Assault and battery, surety of the peace	4
Assault and battery, non-support	2
Assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery	1
Assault and battery by automobile	2
Arson	1
Breach of the peace	2
Burglary	2
Contempt of court	1
Demented	2
Desertion, non-support	4
Desertion from U. S. Army	3
Desertion from U. S. Navy	2
Disorderly conduct	67
Disorderly conduct, surety of the peace	1
Draft evasion	2
Fornication and bastardy	1
Fugitive from justice	1
Gambling house frequenters	21
Incorrigible	5
Intoxicated	1
Intoxicated and disorderly conduct	11
Larceny	9
Larceny and receiving stolen goods	4
Lottery selling	1
Maintaining gambling house	3
Malignous mischief	1
Manslaughter by Automobile	2
Non-support	9
Open lodgings	1
Operating intoxicated	9
Prostitution	1
Rape and Burglary	1
Robbery	1
Surety of the peace	3
School delinquents	4
Violation of defense law	4
Violation of liquor law	1

AUTOMOBILE VIOLATIONS

Reckless driving	23
Violation of Borough speed law	10
Passing traffic red light	6
Violation of Borough ordinance	1
Illegal parking	1
Failing to stop after accident	1

Total

DISPOSITION

Held for court	56
Fined	130
Committed to county prison	15
Committed to State hospital	2
Continued	7
Turned over to police of other Cities	5
Turned over to U. S. Army	5
Turned over to F. B. I.	2
Discharged	29

Total

Lodgers sheltered for the Year	251
Arc lights reported out by officers	16
Incanescent lights reported out by officers	186
Bright lights reported out by officers	19
Doors found open after midnight by officers	29
Valuation of property stolen	\$6,699.22
Valuation of stolen property recovered	\$2,475.70
Fined for all night parking	294
Discharged for all night parking	40
Alarms answered by radio car	1499

Respectfully submitted

LINFORD J. JONES,  
Chief of Police.

### ONE MAN HURT WHEN AUTO RUNS INTO TRUCK

Edward Jenkins Suffers Incised Wound of Head and Lower Lip

### BOTH CARS DAMAGED

One man was injured and a car and a truck were considerably damaged last night, when, according to the police, the car crashed head-on into the truck.

The accident occurred at Farragut avenue and Garfield street, shortly before eight o'clock. The injured man is Edward Jenkins, 28, colored, Wheatseaf. Jenkins suffered a cut on the head requiring eight stitches, and a cut lower lip requiring two stitches. He was treated at the Harriman Hospital.

Jenkins was riding with King Bell, Race street, who police say was pronounced intoxicated and unfit to operate a car.

Bell was driving east on Farragut avenue and the truck of Anthony Mosco, Washington street, was being driven west. Bell's car hit the Mosco truck head-on and was damaged to a great extent. The truck was also damaged but not as much as the lighter vehicle.

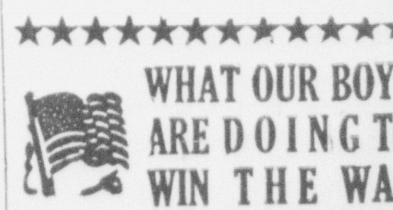
Bell was placed under arrest by the police and is being held for a hearing.

Officers Nichol and Esterline investigated. The injured man was taken to the hospital by Henry Jolly, Benson Place.

### UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. James Eagan, of Madison street, underwent an operation in Harriman Hospital, yesterday.

Classified Ads deliver the goods



EDGEMOOR ARSENAL, Md., Jan. 22—Graduation exercises of the Noncommissioned Officers' Staff Course were held here today.

The course is designed to qualify enlisted men to fulfill the duties of noncommissioned officers in Marine chemical sections.

The studies ranged from offensive and defensive tactics of gas warfare to prevention and treatment of gas casualties.



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## FOUNDATION FOR FUTURE

The first Victory ship is afloat. She and others of her class to follow have an important part to play between now and peace—and thereafter.

The first Victory ship was launched at the yards of the Oregon Shipbuilding Corporation, a Henry J. Kaiser plant credited with being the champion producer of Liberty ships. The plant soon will be fully converted for the construction of Victory ships. Other shipyards on the West and East coasts will follow suit.

Victory ships carry no more cargo than Liberty ships, but they are considerably faster. Where a Liberty ship makes 11 knots, a Victory ship will do 15 or better. Where Liberty ships are compelled to travel in convoys because of their slowness, Victory ships will be able to sail without escort. They will make the round trip to England in three weeks. Liberty ships take nine.

The speed of Victory ships is a valuable asset in time of war. It is also highly important in time of peace. It guarantees the United States a fleet of modern freighters with which to carry out postwar plans for world trade. Hundreds of Victory ships are on order.

Liberty ships have done and are doing a vital job, but they were primarily a war expedient which could be turned out in a hurry. The launching of the first Victory ship serves notice that the United States Merchant Marine will be maintained and increased instead of being allowed to deteriorate to the level it reached after the war. It is promising augury for the future.

## OUTFLOW OF GOLD

Having important implications for the future in many ways, the announcement that the gold hoard of the United States slumped by \$700,000,000 last year means that the process of redistribution of the world's chief monetary metal is well under way.

The decline is due to two factors. The United States has been buying more goods and materials from Latin American countries than it has sold them. The Latin nations have accumulated dollar balances in the United States and are converting part of them into gold. Some European neutral nations have begun converting their dollar balances into gold, fearing a further devaluation of the dollar. It should be pointed out in this connection that President Roosevelt no longer has the power to devalue the dollar of his own volition. But there is a strong suspicion that both the United States and Britain will devalue.

The United States still has a substantial stock of gold, approximately \$22,000,000,000. Foreign-owned assets in the United States total \$13,000,000,000. Upon demand from these sources this nation's hoard presumably could be reduced to approximately \$9,000,000,000. It is probable, though, that a large part of foreign assets will be converted into American manufactures, since all nations will be low on goods.

If there is a high degree of postwar co-operation among nations, there will be a notable gold redistribution.

# CHURCH NEWS

## REV. W. C. BOYER TO SPEAK HERE SUNDAY

Will Tell of His Missionary Work in Belgian Congo of Africa

## LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

The Rev. William C. Boyer, a missionary to Africa, will appear in two churches of Bristol on Sunday, to tell of his work. He will be in Harriman Methodist Church at 11:15 a. m., and in Bristol Methodist Church at 6:30 p. m.

**Bristol Methodist Church**  
Corner Mulberry and Cedar streets: 9:45 a. m. session of Church School; 11 a. m. divine worship, sermon by the Rev. W. C. Boyer on the subject "The Commanding Position of the Communion," anthem, "Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah" (Geltel); will be sung by the choir; 6:30 p. m., William Boyer, a missionary from the Belgian Congo, will address a Fellowship supper given by the Young Adult Group.

**Bristol Leadership Training School** will meet in Bristol Methodist Church School building at 7:30 Monday evening.

**Harriman Methodist Church**  
Wilson avenue and Harrison street: The Rev. Edward K. Knietler, pastor; the Rev. W. C. Boyer, missionary to Africa, will speak at 11:15. Youth Fellowship at seven; evening service at eight.

There will be a meeting of the parish elders and associate elders after the evening service. Men's group meets Monday at 7:30; prayer meeting on Friday at 7:30 p. m.

**Bethel A. M. E. Church**  
The Rev. J. H. Queen, Wood street, near Mulberry: 10 a. m. Sunday School; 11 a. m. church services, subject "Death in the Pot," the pastor preaching; seven p. m. union services, A. C. E. League and B. Y. P. U., in the Sec.

CHAPTER THIRTY  
"You get near strangled, didn't you?" the Inspector asked, the moment the three of us had the room to ourselves. "You hurt bad?"

Linda stretched her neck and swallowed tentatively. "No. It hurts, but not terribly. He—he didn't get a good grip. I fought too hard. But—Mrs. Turner. She is hurt. He threw her clear across the room."

The Inspector wheeled. "You hurt too? I thought you was just upset. Where—how—?"

"Oh, I bumped my head."

"I see. One got strangled, one thrown, like the dog was," the Inspector thought out loud, pulling up a chair and sitting down opposite us, his hands on his knees. "Now tell me what happened, from the beginning. You start, Miss Linda."

"I couldn't sleep. I was lying awake—thinking—when I heard a noise at the door," Linda complied with the Inspector's order obediently, but in a monotone.

"You hadn't locked your door?" he interrupted sharply.

"Oh, yes, I had. That's why the noise startled me," she explained. "It was a push—scratching. Someone pushing the key out and doing something to get the lock open. The key's there—on the floor. But when I heard it, I thought it was Mrs. Turner coming in to—talk to me. And asked was it she. There was no answer. But I knew someone was in the room. I could see a shadow coming toward the bed and—I guess I became scared."

"I got out of bed and—I don't exactly know what I did then. Groped for my robe, I think, and tried to get out of the room and into Mrs. Turner's. But he caught me. Here, in the middle of the room. And put a hand across my mouth when I started to scream. Then he fought—I fought—against his strangling me." Linda stopped in remembered horror, her hands exploring her bruised throat. "And then everything started to whirl and I couldn't breathe and—suddenly he let go of me and—I fell down." She glanced at me wonderingly. "I thought I heard your voice as I fell, calling my name."

"I'll say you heard my voice," I agreed, taking up the story from there, and recounting all I'd heard and seen as briefly and clearly as I could. Ending: "It must have been the noise of the lock being forced that startled me out of my sleep."

The Inspector listened to us patiently, throwing in an occasional "I see."

"And you really haven't got an inkling of who it was?" he asked when we had finished.

"Not the faintest," I assured him. "He—had no face."

"What'd you mean, no face?"

"Just that. He was all dark. Dark gloves, dark cloth over his face. I only knew he was tall. And I think he was the man who ran

and Baptist Church, Race street; eight p. m. union services in Second Baptist Church, sermon by Rev. J. H. Queen, subject "God's Way, Not Man's Way," music by Bethel A. M. E. Church choir.

**First Baptist Church**  
The Rev. I. L. Clark, Th. M., pastor; Sunday: Bible School, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship at 11, anthems by the junior and senior choirs, and sermon "Called Unto Holiness," B. Y. P. U., 6:45 p. m., opening with a prayer circle followed by the topic presented by the Stewardship Group led by Mrs. Charles Lancaster.

The evening worship at 7:45 begins with a great songspiration time, special music and the senior choir appear on the program with the second sermon in the series of the Miracles in John's Gospel, "The Sign in Cleansing the Temple." Announcements: Tuesday, junior choir practice in the church at seven p. m.; Wednesday, prayer and praise service at 7:30 p. m., senior choir rehearsal immediately following. Mrs. Clark will direct the choir, having accepted the invitation to lead the choir presented to her through Mrs. E. Klaiher; Thursday, the "Happy Bible Hour" for all boys and girls of Bristol, at seven p. m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**  
The Rev. Lehman Strauss, pastor; Sunday: 9:45 a. m. Bible School, free has transportation; 11 morning worship, message by the pastor; 6:45 p. m. prayer group; seven p. m. B. Y. P. U.; 7:45 p. m. evangelistic service, old fashioned Gospel hymn sing with orchestra, the pastor's message will be "Amos, the Minor Prophet With a Modern Message."

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George A. Palmer. Following the musical program, colored motion pictures will be shown of the work among the soldiers at Fort Dix, N. J.

## Bristol Presbyterian Church

The services in the Bristol Presbyterian Church on the Sabbath will be as follows: 9:45 a. m., Church School, under direction of Adrian Bustraan, acting superintendent; 10 a. m., men's Bible class, taught by the Rev. James R. Galley; 11 morning worship service, sermon by the pastor, "Your Faithful Guide," seven p. m., Senior Christian Endeavor, eight evening worship service, lesson by the pastor, "The Ten Commandments."

## St. James' P. E. Church

Services for Sunday, Eight a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30, Church School and Bible classes; 10:45, morning prayer and sermon; five p. m., confirmation lecture.

There is still time to join the confirmation class. The pastor hopes that those not yet confirmed will attend the lectures.

Monday evening, meeting of vestry at 7:30, followed by annual meeting of the parish at eight. At the annual meeting a financial report will be given by all organizations, three vestrymen will be elected to serve three years, and the treasurer will give his annual report. All communicants urged to attend.

Mother's Guild meets Tuesday in the parish house; choir rehearsal, Thursday evening at eight.

## Here and There in Bucks County Towns

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his death, after which it was operated for a short time by the Grubb Estate, until it was purchased by the Evening Post Company, in September, 1938.

An over supply of eggs, rabbits and broilers was noted at the combination sale held on the property of the Rice Brothers, near Solebury, and because of the unusual

large offering of these items, the prices were rather low. Egg prices were about 10 cents lower than usual, and the best prices received for them ranged from 25 to 46 cents a dozen. Broilers ranged in price from 12½ to 28 cents a pound. Rabbit prices, 13 to 20 cents a pound, were far below par.

Approximately 500 persons attended the sale, proceeds of which amounted to \$2053.05. The sale of the poultry totaled \$1576.22.

Three of the six cows offered were sold from \$125 to \$155, and one of the two heifers offered went to the high bidder for \$35. Only one of the six bulls placed on sale changed ownership and it brought \$45.

were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Dicken and Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell.

Donald Haefner is spending the week-end with Harry Canon, in Philadelphia.

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# OTHER INTERESTS

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from Trenton, N. J., busy helping the pilot fly without instruments, sent the aerial gunner forward to see if flying metal had injured the bombardier or navigator.

Meantime the plane was flopping crazily. Twice it went into spirals that were almost fatal. Conley and Wood had their hands full.

The aerial gunner came back from the ship's nose and reported that the situation seemed fairly good there. Bombardier Royal

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## Speaker for Women's Club Is Dr. William Hubben

NEWTOWN, Jan. 22—Dr. William Hubben, of the George School faculty, in addressing members of the New Century Club in the club home on Wednesday, stated that many adjustments must be made after the declaration of peace.

Dr. Hubben told the 35 persons at the meeting the nations must get in the right frame of mind for peace and must see that peace means a cessation of hostilities. He predicted a great political upheaval in Germany at the close of the war, and spoke of the 30 or 40 million people who must be relocated after they had been evacuated in Europe.

In the United States, said Dr. Hubben, there are no border lines, but in Europe are 35 different nations with different customs, money and dialects.

The church, clubs and other organizations, the members were told, must help formulate plans for a lasting peace. When the men now in the service return to their homes, said Dr. Hubben, they will be a greatly disturbed people, and people in this country must stand ready to help restore them to normal life.

The meeting, which was in charge of the president, Mrs. William V. Loughery, was featured also by a program of music by a group of George School students under the leadership of Julian McCree, who also served as the accompanist. Taking part on the program were Blouke Carus and Newton Graham, cellos; Karla King, soprano; Sheldon Mitchell, violin; Patricia Jenkins, reader, and Joel Raphaelson, piano.

### Today's Quiet Moment (By the Rev. James R. Galley)

Pastor  
Bristol Presbyterian Church

Almighty God, Who hast decreed all things, we thank Thee for the Sabbath day on which we are called into Thy House to unite with Thy people in worship and praise. We thank Thee for the spiritual impetus we receive from the assembly of Thy people, for the strength for daily needs, for the assurance of Thy presence with us. Lead us into this fellowship, O God, that we might be blessed and that Thy Name might be glorified and Thy Kingdom advanced. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Miss Maude Corbett announced a meeting of the study group will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Taggart on January 20. The subject will be Mexicans in the United States.

Mrs. Justus K. Slack gave a preview of a series of books, "The Rivers of America," by Henry Beston. She spoke of the St. Lawrence river and read excerpts about Quebec and other towns in that vicinity.

Hostesses were Mrs. William Hubben and Mrs. Walter H. Mohr. With Mrs. Horace A. Effrig presiding at the tea table, tea was served by Mrs. Cicily Ryan, Mrs. Lucy Porter, Mrs. Arthur Yunker and Mrs. George Griscom.

### \*\*\*\*\* In a Personal Way ---

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. ---

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To arrange for publication of wedding, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 845, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

James Ellis, of the U. S. Coast Guard, New York, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Milton Ellis, Locust street.

Edward Stackhouse, S. 2/c, Sampson, N. Y., spent the week-end visiting his parents on New Buckle street.

Cpl. Rudolph Schweizer and wife, and little Doris Tanguay, New York, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Angelo and Mrs. Mary Tano, Dorrance street.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Ennis, Sr., Maple street, were Miss Agnes McGee, Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGlynn, of Chester.

Frederick Cullen, of the U. S. Navy, spent Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Cullen, Pond street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ballinger entertained for several days Staff Sgt. Charles E. Rusk, Waynetown, Ind. Sgt. Rusk was also a guest of Miss Irene Ranck, Monroe street, while here.

Staff Sgt. Robert Harman, and PFC Rita Duty, both of Mitchell Field, L. I., were week-end guests of Sgt. Harman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harman, Spruce street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mascari, Baltimore, Md., spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Donofrio, Pond street.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Brace, Elizabeth, N. J., spent Saturday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson G. Brace, North Radcliffe street.

Mrs. Rose Marino, Dorrance street, has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Mrs. John Paglione and daughters, "Betsy" and Mary Jo, Penn street, are recuperating from a week's illness.

Mrs. Charles Cullen and sons, James and William, of Olney, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Cullen, Cedar street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blumling, Cedar street, returned home on Tuesday after spending several days with relatives in Pittsburgh. Mrs. Nellie Poulette, Jackson street, and Mrs. Andrew Sitko, Wilson avenue, spent the week-end at Camp Lee, Va., visiting Pvt. Sitko, who is stationed there.

Miss Bertha Borchers, Wilson avenue, spent Wednesday visiting Mrs. Walter Wright, Trenton, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Klepczynski and daughter Lorraine, and Mrs. Julius Vodarski and daughter Agnes, Hayes street, visited relatives in Philadelphia on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Klepczynski and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vodarski and Agnes spent Sunday in Delanco, N. J., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wilinski.

Cpl. Guy Doyle and wife, Baltimore, Md., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shroun, Nelson Court.

Pvt. Marian Walter, 320 Jefferson avenue, has completed her basic six weeks training at the motor transport school, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, and is now stationed with a WAC detachment connected with the engineers school at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. Miss Walter spent the week-end in Bristol as the guest of her parents.

Mrs. Walter J. Buchler, Jefferson avenue, is ill with scarlet fever.

### Artist, Silversmith, Juggler Do War Work

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Graphic Illustration Department he was impressed with the number of women working in the shops. He subsequently created "Angeline," the cartoon darling of the company newspaper. Goeller, considered one of America's noted contemporary artists, has exhibited in France as well as in famous galleries in the United States. In addition to his work at Fleetwings he is teaching art at night school.

The silversmith is Frank Crestwick. While busy with the war effort he anticipates the day when he will go back to silver-smithing. Generations of the Crestwick fam-

ily in Sheffield, England, were master craftsmen he states, producing ter craftsmen he states, producing

thousands of silver candlesticks and holders, flatware, etc. Mr. Crestwick is a leadworker, making detailed aircraft parts.

John Schiavoni, formerly of the circus and the vaudeville stage, is a spray painter. He spent most of his life featured as a strong-man acrobat, juggler and comedian, being billed as John Nathan.

The trio of looters in Fleetwings' Master Layout Department, with an average age of 70, and combined

lofting experience of 133 years, are: Martin Graf, George K. Ryan, and Walter Huff, Graf began his career in the "mold lofts" at the age of 17, and except for seven months in 1942, has been busy at it since. Mr. Ryan, aged 71, started at Camden's New York Shipbuilding Co. yards in 1901; and Mr. Huff, aged 71, has put in 28 years of ship lofting. With the start of World War II, the trio made the change to plane lofting.

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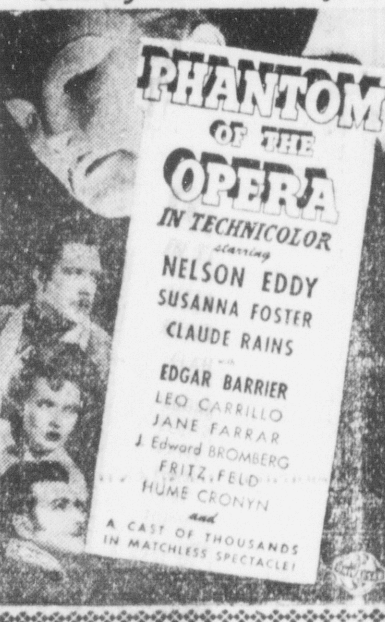
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## ON THE SCREENS

### BRISTOL THEATRE

A story of the men who mine the precious coal so vital to our war industries is the subject of "Tornado," which opens Sunday at the Bristol Theatre. "Tornado" stars Chester Morris and Nancy Kelly and features the well-known Bill Henry and Joe Sawyer. The drama unfolds against the backdrop of a mining town which has felt the lash of a tornado. The dramatic theme tells of a happy-go-lucky miner, Chester Morris, who batters his way to the top so that he can win the woman he loves. "Mystery Broadcast" is also showing at the Bristol.

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Here is a great love story of the

war that will no doubt take its place beside the immortal "Mrs. Miniver" as a beautiful and poignant drama of human sacrifice and heroism in the face of disaster. It is "Corregidor," the first to graphically present in motion picture the historic happenings through those

gruelling 28 days as American and Philippine troops fought their losing battle against overwhelming odds. With a cast headed by Otto Kruger, Elissa Landi and Donald Woods, this drama opened yesterday at the Ritz Theatre.

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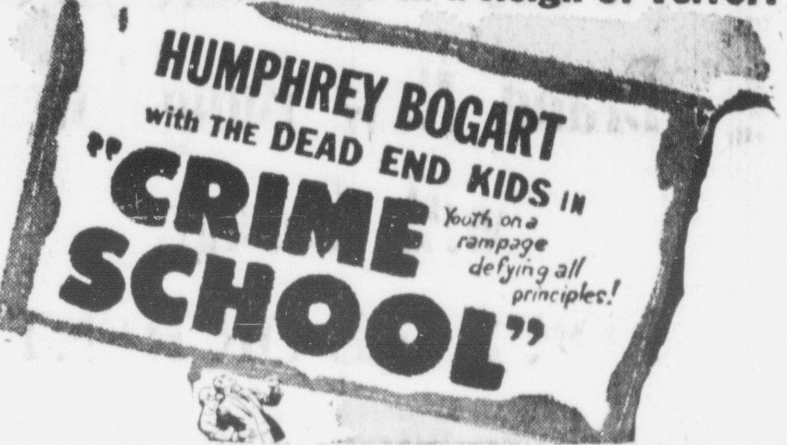
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### BENSALEM HIGH HANDS DEFEAT TO BRISTOL HIGH FIVE

Local Boys Suffer Stinging Defeat and Lose By Score of 46 to 25

#### SHOTS ARE ACCURATE

Bensalem Boys Could Drop Them In From All Angles

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Jan. 22.—Hitting the cords accurately from all angles of the court, the Bensalem Township High School five handed Bristol High a stinging 46-25 defeat last night on the Bensalem floor. It is believed that it was the worst score a Bensalem quintet ever beat Bristol.

There was no question as to the accuracy of the Bensalem shots. They had fewer tries at the basket than the Bristol team but they dropped in almost twice as many goals. Furthermore, the Owls did wonderfully from the foul as they sank in fourteen of their eighteen foul attempts.

Although Johnny Dean was high scorer for the winners with 19 points, much credit goes to Jack Hansen, freshman forward of the Bensalem aggregation. Hansen scored five field goals and converted his only foul try. But his shooting was excellent as he missed but two or three tries for goals and most of his scoring was done from side court.

The Bristol team did good work in its passing but the hoops seemed to have lids on them as the ball would go partway in and then bounce out. The Owls did much better passing under the nets while Bristol had difficulty in scoring on under-the-basket attempts.

High scorer for the losing team was "Toby" Oriola who scored a tit of baskets and a foul for seven points. "Mickey" Mandio had five points to his credit.

Coach Bartholomew's boys also did well from the foul mark, making seven conversions in 11 tries. It was the fourth quarter which saw the Bensalem five make certain of victory. They amassed twelve points while holding Bristol to three. This was a repetition of the initial quarter when Coach John Bixler's proteges took a 12-3 edge.

Line-ups:

	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Tot.
<b>Bristol</b>				
Finer f	0	1	1	1
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
<b>Bensalem</b>				
Hansen f	5	1	1	11
Hansen f	5	1	1	11
Hansen f	5	1	1	11
Hansen f	5	1	1	11
Hansen f	5	1	1	11
Hansen f	5	1	1	11
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Referee: Sacor.  
Timer and scorer: Praksta.  
Half-time score:  
Bensalem, 20; Bristol, 11.

### HIGH SCHOOL JAY VEES DEFEAT BENSALEM FIVE

The Bristol High School Jay Vees scored their second win of the season yesterday afternoon on the local court when it won over the Bensalem Junior Varsity, 14-13, in a Junior Lower Bucks County League match.

Line-ups:

	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Tot.
<b>Bristol J. V.</b>				
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
Capriotti f	0	0	0	0
<b>Bensalem J. V.</b>				
Finer f	2	2	5	8
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0
Finer f	0	0	0	0

Referee: Ax. of Burlington.  
Timer and scorer: Praksta.  
Half-time score:  
Bensalem, 8; Bristol, 4.

### Quiz On Current Affairs Conducted

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Within a few hours after completion of the contest, Mrs. Bartoe announced the winners as follows: Prize for high score to Mrs. E. Linton Martin, club president, who took the test at her home, she being unable to attend the session due to the fact she is recuperating from an attack of illness; honorable mention to the following who finished in this order: Mrs. Franklin K. Wills, Mrs. Elwood Goslin, Mrs. Harry T. Neher, and Mrs. Frank Lehman. The prize offered is a choice of a world globe or a book valued at \$5.

Serving as hostesses for the day were Mrs. Lester D. Thorne and Mrs. Harold W. Thompson.

Mrs. Harry T. Neher, vice-president, conducted the business meeting, with Mrs. George E. Boswell in charge of records.

### LAST-MINUTE GOAL TIES TILT BETWEEN TWO GIRLS' TEAMS

Goal Tossed by Lillian Brownlee Ends Game, 19 to 19

#### NO OVERTIME PLAYED

Bristol Girls Had Some Difficulty in Getting Started

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Jan. 22.—A foul goal by Lillian Brownlee in the last play of the game gave Bristol a 19-19 tie with Bensalem in the girls' game last night on the Bensalem Township High School floor.

The score was 19-18 with the Owlettes ahead when a Bensalem player committed a foul. Brownlee was chosen to shoot the foul and she made good to even the count.

In girls' basketball rules, no overtime periods are played.

The Bristol girls had difficulty in getting started against the home team who amassed 7 points before Bielecki scored the first double-dunk for Bristol and shortly after Brownlee made a foul. It was the

shooting of Regina Sliwa and Rita Blasch which had given the Owlettes their early lead.

Bristol kept creeping up on the Bensalem team but it wasn't until Cahill scored a field goal and followed with a pair of fouls that it was able to wrest the lead which Bristol finally got at the half-time mark when the score stood 13-11.

Sliwa deadlocked the score at the start of the second half and from then on it was nip-and-tuck with both teams getting the lead and then losing it. Ginny Oliver's two foul points finally put the girls of Coach Church ahead, 19-18, before Brownlee's point again tied the score for Coach Kallenbach's team.

Line-ups:

	F.G.	P.G.	FT.	Tot.
<b>Bristol Girls</b>				
T. Cahill f	2	4	4	8
L. Brownlee f	2	4	4	8
S. Bielecki f	2	0	0	4
M. Heath g	0	0	0	0
R. DeVita g	0	0	0	0
M. Bell g	0	0	0	0
S. Peet g	0	0	0	0
<b>Bensalem Girls</b>				
R. Sliwa f	4	3	6	18
G. Oliver f	0	0	2	2
R. Blasch f	3	1	4	7
R. Poston g	0	0	0	0
K. Vandegrift g	0	0	0	0
V. Luzzi g	0	0	0	0

Referee: Madeline Heim.  
Half-time score:  
Bristol, 13; Bensalem, 11.

#### BRIDGEWATER

Mrs. "Achsie" Lewis has been confined to her home with a severe cold.

Mrs. George Bischoff has been ill at her home.

### American and British Forces Storm Ashore On The West Coast of Italy

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early this morning on the west coast of Italy deep in the rear of the present enemy front line positions," was the way the communiqué described it.

"Naval and air forces are supporting ground forces," added the bulletin, indicating the operation had not yet been completed.

The new landing was co-ordinated with an all-out assault by British, French and American troops of the Fifth Army against the enemy positions in the Liri Valley. This defile runs inland from the west coast.

In addition to threatening the Germans facing British units of the Fifth on the Garigliano River sector, the new landing constitutes a definite flanking menace to the strong Nazi "Gustav line" protecting Cassino.

During the last few days, Allied air and surface fleets have been pounding enemy communications lines along the western coast of Italy. Two days ago, rail traffic north of Rome was reported cut off and west coast and central Italian air bases were pounded success-

fully.

Shortly before the Anglo-American force stormed ashore from their invasion barges today, the Germans were reported carrying out an organized withdrawal from the Gustav to the new "Adolf Hitler line." This latter defense belt lies six miles north of Cassino, and also was believed to be menaced by the new landing.

As these gains were being carved out by the Allied forces in Italy, the German capital itself was a shambles. Still the United Nations air forces did not give the Reich or the occupied countries respite in the stepped-up aerial offensive against the enemy.

Powerful fleets of British four-engine bombers pounded targets in Germany and occupied territory following furious daylong assaults by Allied formations which dumped an estimated 2,000 tons of explosives on the French invasion coast and its mysterious defenses.

The British air fleet apparently was one of great strength. Its target was not disclosed immediately and even the German radio gave no hint of the place or places hit. This was taken in some quarters to indicate the enemy had been fooled by the RAF's feinting tactics and been caught unprepared again.

When the largest transmitter in the Berlin area went off the air it was thought the German capital

may have been pummeled again, scarcely 24 hours after a record raid which treated the city to its "worst night of terror."

In Russia, Soviet armies were slashing at Nazi forces penned in the Leningrad sector after the Red Army captured the vital rail junction of Mga. Seizure of this juncture, 25 miles southeast of the old Czarist capital, apparently restored direct rail communications between Moscow and the Soviet Union's sec-

ond city for the first time in 29 months.

The Japanese in northeastern New Guinea, meantime, appeared ready to quit the Sidorio-Sio area and make a determined stand farther north. However, the Allied air and naval forces dealt these plans a staggering blow, sinking 24 troop-landing barges which were evacuating troops from that sector and trying to reinforce Madang.

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